Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company Docket No. D.T.E. 02-24/25

Responses to the Attorney General's Fifth Set of Information Requests

Request No. AG-5-47 (Gas)

Referring to Schedule MHC-9, please reconcile the Total gas Division Accumulated Depreciation amount shown there with the amount shown on page 34 of the Company's 2001 Annual Report to the Department

Response:

Included on page 34 of the Company's 2001 Annual Report to the Department, line 14, column (c), is the Accumulated Depreciation balance associated with the Common Plant allocated to Gas. This amount is included on Schedule MHC-9 in column labeled 'Plus Allocated Common Plant'.

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